

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Norikazu YOKONUMA

Group Art Unit: 2615

Application No.: 09/666,449

Examiner:

G. Selby

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For:

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Sir:

In reply to the December 24, 2003, Office Action, the shortened statutory period for reply being extended to June 24, 2004 by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and Remarks.